

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: **Bergman et al.**

Serial No.: **09/670,446**

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For: **Apparatus and Methods for  
Auctioning Time and Desktop Space to  
Product and Service Suppliers**

§ Group Art Unit: **3693**

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§ Examiner: **Weisberger, Richard C.**

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

No fees are believed to be required. If, however, any fees are required, I authorize the Commissioner to charge these fees which may be required to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0510. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is required, the extension is requested, and I authorize the Commissioner to charge any fees for this extension to IBM Corporation Deposit Account No. 50-0510.

In response to the Office Action of January 28, 2010, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.